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Enclosed is an Amendment in Response to the First Office Action dated *January 30, 2005*

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APPLICANT: GABRIEL ETAL 2

SERIAL NO: 10/679,602

EXAMINER: Jason Benton

FILED: October 06, 2003

GROUP: 3747

TITLE: COOLING CHANNEL COVER FOR A ONE-PIECE PISTON OF AN
INTERNAL COMBUSTION ENGINE

RESPONSE TO FIRST OFFICE ACTION

MAIL STOP AMENDMENT

Honorable Commissioner of Patents
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Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the First Office Action dated December 16, 2004 with the due date for response being March 16, 2005, please review the above-identified patent application as follows:

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 2 of this paper.